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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

HULLENDER et al.

Group Art Unit: 2623

Serial No. 09/528,889

Examiner: MILLER, M.

Filed: March 20, 2000

For:

METHOD AND MECHANISM TO REDUCE HANDWRITING RECOGNIZER ERRORS USING MULTIPLE DECISION TREES

PETITION FOR THREE-MONTH EXTENSION **OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)**

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. .20231

Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), the undersigned attorney, on behalf of the applicants, hereby petitions for a three-month extension of time to and including September 11, 2003. to file a Response to the Office Action dated March 11, 2003, which carried an original response date of June 11, 2003.

The extension fee in the amount of \$930.00 and any additional fee which may be due or any other charges in connection with the submission of the response should be charged to the deposit account (50-1618) identified on the transmittal (submitted in duplicate).

Respectfully submitted.

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